Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 07 Sep 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 08 Sep 2024

Forecast Issued on Friday 06 Sep 2024 at 15:49

Confidence: High for an unsettled theme over the next few days, with the chance of some heavy showers, which could turn thundery. Lower confidence though regarding the timing and intensity of showers. Moderate confidence for a fresher northwesterly airstream to become established early next week.

Headline for Saturday 07 Sep 2024: Thundery showers at first. Fog patches clearing during the morning. Showers developing, turning heavy and perhaps thundery.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 07 Sep 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Medium Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Medium Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Thundery showers (night)	Mist	Fog	Mist	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
70%	40%	20%	20%	30%	50%	60%	70%

Forecast for Saturday 07 Sep 2024

Weather: Thundery showers at first should soon clear on Friday night, leaving it rather cloudy with some fog patches. Fog slowly clearing and cloud lifting a little to give a few brighter breaks during the morning on Saturday. A chance of some light showers developing from late morning, then a greater chance of heavier showers from late afternoon, which could turn thundery into the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20% or less at first, increasing to around 60 or 70% out of showers.

Low cloud and visibility: Fog patches giving poor or very poor visibility at first. Visibility increasing to moderate or good out of showers.

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Forecast for Saturday 07 Sep 2024

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/11 NW	5/8 N	4/6 N	7/10 NE	7/11 E	7/11 E	6/8 N	8/11 NE	11/15 NE
300	6/12 SE	4/8 N	3/5 NW	4/8 NE	5/10 NE	4/8 E	3/8 E	3/8 N	5/11 N
Valley	5/12 NW	4/9 NW	3/6 N	3/7 E	4/9 E	3/6 E	3/8 N	3/8 NE	4/12 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	14/13	14/13	14/13	14/14	16/15	16/15	15/15	14/13	14/12
300	15/15	15/14	15/15	16/16	17/17	18/18	17/17	16/16	15/15
Valley	16/15	15/15	15/15	16/16	17/18	18/19	17/17	16/16	16/16
Freezing Level*	3300m	3200m	3200m	3300m	3200m	3200m	3400m	3200m	3300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Navigation will be difficult in early fog patches. Take note that thunderstorms feature in today's forecast.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Fri 06 Sep 2024	13mm	17.8mm	18mm

Forecast for Sunday 08 Sep 2024

Weather: Unsettled with mostly cloudy skies and outbreaks of showery rain, some heavy and perhaps thundery. Showers easing during the evening, with a few clearer intervals developing.

Maximum wind: N or NE 10 to 15 mph, gusts around 20mph. Becoming more gusty temporarily in any thunderstorms that develop. Wind turning N to NW during the afternoon and evening, increasing 17 to 22 mph, gusts to around 30 mph later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60% or more, though dropping to 30% or less during some of the heavy thundery showers.

Low cloud and visibility: Moderate or good visibility overall, though perhaps falling to poor in some of the heavier and thundery showers. During heavy showers, cloud could lower to shroud some of the hill tops.

Temperature: **Valleys:** PS 15C rising to PS 21C.
At 600m: PS 10C rising to PS 16C.
Freezing level: Above the summits throughout.

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